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Mr. Allen W. Dulles
Director of Central Intelligence
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Since February of this year, the Office of the Chief, Psychological Warfare, the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, and a number of other agencies have served requirements on the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, which have necessitated an increasing collection effort in the field of resistance and anti-regime activity in the Soviet Bloc, particularly the East European Satellite areas.

This information is needed not only as a background against which the present military capabilities of this group of nations can be determined, but also for planning purposes in the event hostilities should develop.

A number of working level arrangements have been made periodically with representatives of your office which have partially fulfilled our requirements for supporting material. However, I would appreciate it if such information, exclusive of activities of an operational nature, could be made available to G-2 on a more definite and continuing basis.

Sincerely,

/s/

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